

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
EASTERN DIVISION**

MICHAEL GONIDAKIS, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

FRANK LAROSE,

Defendant, and

**LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF OHIO
and A. PHILIP RANDOLPH INSTITUTE
OF OHIO,**

Intervenor-Defendants.

Circuit Judge Amul R. Thapar
Chief Judge Algenon L. Marbley
Judge Benjamin J. Beaton

Case No. 2:22-cv-773

NOTICE OF SUPPLEMENTAL AUTHORITY

Intervenor-Defendants League of Women Voters of Ohio *et al.* hereby submit as Exhibit 1 the decision of the Ohio Supreme Court in *League of Women Voters of Ohio v. Ohio Redistricting Comm.*, Slip Opinion No. 2022-Ohio-1235 (April 14, 2022). Notably, in its opinion the Ohio Supreme Court:

- (1) Invalidated the “Fourth Plan” enacted by the Ohio Redistricting Commission on March 28, 2022 as violating Article XI of the Ohio Constitution (Slip. Op. ¶¶ 2, 78).
- (2) Provided for a continuation of the state process, with a new plan due by May 6, 2022, objections due three days after submission of the plan, and responses to such objections due three days after those objections (Slip. Op. ¶¶ 78-80).

- (3) Questioned whether August 2, 2022 in fact is the last feasible date for the primary (Slip. Op. ¶ 68) and asserted federalism principles militate against this Court setting that date (Slip. Op. ¶ 69).
- (4) Stated that it would be “appropriate for [this] federal court to ‘stay[] its hand’” so that the state process can proceed to an orderly conclusion (Slip Op. ¶ 70) (quoting *Scott v. Germano*, 381 U.S. 407, 409 (1965)).

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Freda J. Levenson, hereby certify that on this 14th day of April, 2022, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of Court for the United States District Court for the Southern District of Ohio, Eastern Division via the ECF system, which will send notification of such filing to all counsel of record.

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